

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

SEKISUI AMERICA CORPORATION and
SEKISUI MEDICAL CO., LTD.,

Plaintiffs,

v.

RICHARD HART and MARY LOUISE
TRUDEL-HART,

Defendants.

ECF CASE

Civil Action No. 12-CV-3479 (SAS)

**[PROPOSED] STIPULATED
PROTECTIVE ORDER**

The parties having agreed to the following terms of confidentiality, and the Court having found that good cause exists for issuance of an appropriately-tailored confidentiality order governing this action, it is therefore hereby

ORDERED that any person subject to this Order—including without limitation the parties to this action, their representatives, agents, experts and consultants, all third parties providing discovery in this action, and all other interested persons with actual or constructive notice of this Order—shall adhere to the following terms, upon penalty of contempt:

1. Any person subject to this Order who receives from any other person any "Discovery Material" (i.e., information of any kind provided in the course of discovery in this action) that is designated as "Confidential" pursuant to the terms of this Order shall not disclose such Discovery Material to anyone else except as expressly permitted hereunder.

2. The person producing any given Discovery Material may designate as Confidential only such portion of such material as consists of:

- a. previously non-disclosed financial information (including without limitation profitability reports or estimates, percentage fees, design fees, royalty rates, minimum guarantee payments, sales reports and sale margins);
- b. previously non-disclosed material relating to ownership or control of any nonpublic company;
- c. previously non-disclosed business plans, product development information, audit reports (the AQSOL report is discussed separately in paragraph (2)(c)), product or business analyses or marketing plans;
- d. any information of a personal or intimate nature regarding any individual;
- e. the report prepared by AQSOL, dated May 17-20, 2010 (the "AQSOL Report"), which the parties acknowledge is already in the parties' possession, and any confidentiality designation under the terms of this Order shall only apply to the use of the AQSOL Report subsequent to the date of this Order; or
- f. any other category of information hereinafter given confidential status by the Court.

3. With respect to the Confidential portion of any Discovery Material other than deposition transcripts, the producing person or that person's counsel may designate such portion as "Confidential" by stamping or otherwise clearly marking as "Confidential" the protected portion in a manner that will not interfere with legibility or audibility. With respect to deposition transcripts, a producing person or that person's

counsel may indicate on the record that a question calls for Confidential information, in which case the portion of the transcript with the designated testimony shall be marked "Confidential Information Governed by Protective Order" by the reporter.

4. If at any time prior to the trial of this action, a producing person realizes that some portion[s] of Discovery Material that that person previously produced without limitation should be designated as Confidential, that person may so designate by so apprising all parties in writing, and such designated portion[s] of the Discovery Material will thereafter be treated as Confidential under the terms of this Order.

5. No person subject to this Order other than the producing person shall disclose any of the Discovery Material designated by the producing person as Confidential to any other person whomsoever, except to:

- a. the parties to this action;
- b. Molson Hart (the Harts' son);
- c. counsel retained specifically for this action, including any paralegal, clerical and other assistant employed by such counsel and assigned to this matter;
- d. as to any document, its author, its addressee, and any other person indicated on the face of the document as having received a copy;
- e. any witness who counsel for a party in good faith believes may be called to testify at trial or deposition in this action, provided such person has first executed a Non-Disclosure Agreement in the form annexed as an Exhibit hereto;

- f. any person retained by a party to serve as an expert witness or otherwise provide specialized advice to counsel in connection with this action, provided such person has first executed a Non-Disclosure Agreement in the form annexed as an Exhibit hereto;
- g. stenographers engaged to transcribe depositions conducted in this action;
- h. any other person as to whom the parties agree;
- i. any individual chosen by the parties to mediate this action and that person's support personnel; and
- j. the Court and its support personnel.

6. Prior to any disclosure of any Confidential Discovery Material to any person referred to in subparagraphs 5(b), 5(e), 5(f) or 5(h), above, such person shall be provided by counsel with a copy of this Protective Order and shall sign a Non-Disclosure Agreement in the form annexed as an Exhibit hereto stating that that person has read this Order and agrees to be bound by its terms. Said counsel shall retain each signed Non-Disclosure Agreement, hold it in escrow, and produce it to opposing counsel either prior to such person being permitted to testify (at deposition or trial) or at the conclusion of the case, whichever comes first.

7. All Confidential Discovery Material filed with the Court, and all portions of pleadings, motions or other papers filed with the Court that disclose such Confidential Discovery Material shall be filed under seal with the Clerk of the Court and kept under seal until further order of the Court. The parties will use their best efforts to minimize such sealing.

8. Any party who either objects to any designation of confidentiality, or who, by contrast, requests still further limits on disclosure, may at any time prior to the trial of this action serve upon counsel for the designating person a written notice stating with particularity the grounds of the objection or request. If agreement cannot be reached promptly, it shall be resolved in accordance with the Court's Individual Rules and Procedures.

9. The Court retains discretion whether to afford confidential treatment to any document designated as Confidential, or information contained in any document designated as Confidential, submitted to the Court in connection with any motion, application, or proceeding that may result in an order and/or decision by the Court.

10. Each person who has access to Discovery Material that has been designated as Confidential shall take all due precautions to prevent the unauthorized or inadvertent disclosure of such material.

11. If, in connection with this litigation, a party inadvertently discloses information subject to a claim of attorney-client privilege or attorney work product protection ("Inadvertently Disclosed Information"), such disclosure shall not constitute or be deemed a waiver or forfeiture of any claim of privilege or work product protection with respect to the Inadvertently Disclosed Information and its subject matter.

12. If a disclosing party makes a claim of inadvertent disclosure, the receiving party shall, within five (5) business days, return or destroy all copies of the Inadvertently Disclosed Information, and provide a certification of counsel that all such information has been returned or destroyed.

13. Within five (5) business days of the notification that such Inadvertently Disclosed Information has been returned or destroyed, the disclosing party shall produce a privilege log with respect to the Inadvertently Disclosed Information.

14. The receiving party may seek an Order compelling production of the Inadvertently Disclosed Information in accordance with the Court's Individual Rules and Procedures. The receiving party shall not assert as a ground for entering such an Order the fact or circumstances of the inadvertent production.

15. The disclosing party retains the burden of establishing the privileged or protected nature of any Inadvertently Disclosed Information. Nothing in this Order shall limit the right of any party to request an in camera review of the Inadvertently Disclosed Information.

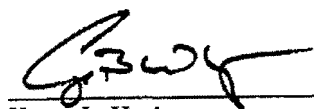
16. This Protective Order shall survive the termination of the litigation. Within sixty (60) days of the final disposition of this action, all Discovery Material designated as "Confidential," and all copies thereof, shall be promptly returned to the producing person, or, upon permission of the producing person, destroyed.

17. This Court shall retain jurisdiction over all persons subject to this Order to the extent necessary to enforce any obligations arising hereunder or to impose sanctions for any contempt thereof.

SO STIPULATED AND AGREED.

Dated: November 19, 2012

MORRISON & FOERSTER LLP



Karen L. Hagberg
Craig B. Whitney
1290 Avenue of Americas
New York, NY 10104
Telephone: (212) 468-8000
Facsimile: (212) 468-7900
khagberg@mofo.com
cwhitney@mofo.com

SULLIVAN & WORCESTER LLP



Franklin B. Velie
Jonathan G. Kortmansky
1633 Broadway, 32nd Floor
New York, NY 10019
Telephone: (212) 660-3000
Facsimile: (212) 660-3001
fvelie@sandw.com
jkortmansky@sandw.com

SO ORDERED:



SHIRA A. SCHEINDLIN
U.S.D.J.

11/26/12

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

SEKISUI AMERICA CORPORATION and
SEKISUI MEDICAL CO., LTD.,

Plaintiffs,

v.

RICHARD HART and MARY LOUISE
TRUDEL-HART,

Defendants.

ECF CASE

Civil Action No. 12-CV-3479 (SAS)

Non-Disclosure Agreement

I, _____, acknowledge that I have read and understand the Protective Order in this action governing the non-disclosure of those portions of Discovery Material that have been designated as "Confidential." I agree that I will not disclose such Confidential Discovery Material to anyone other than for purposes of this litigation and that at the conclusion of the litigation I will return all discovery information to the party or attorney from whom I received it. By acknowledging these obligations under the Protective Order, I understand that I am submitting myself to the jurisdiction of the United States District Court for the Southern District of New York for the purpose of any issue or dispute arising hereunder and that my willful violation of any term of the Protective Order could subject me to punishment for contempt of Court.

Dated: _____